

## HOUSE OF COMMONS

Wednesday, December 11, 1968

The house met at 2.30 p.m.

### POWER

#### TABLING OF REPORT ON LONG DISTANCE TRANSMISSION

**Hon. Jean-Luc Pepin (Minister of Industry, Trade and Commerce):** Mr. Speaker, I should like to table the report to the federal-provincial ministerial committee on long distance transmission. The report is entitled "Regional and national electric transmission systems for Canada—stage II assessment". Appended to this report is the main volume of the report by the consultants of the committee.

**Mr. Speaker:** Has the minister leave to table this document?

**Some hon. Members:** Agreed.

### CRIMINAL CODE

#### PENALTY AND PROHIBITION ORDER FOR CRUELTY TO ANIMALS

**Mr. W. B. Nesbitt (Oxford)** moved for leave to introduce Bill No. C-142, to amend the Criminal Code (cruelty to animals).

**Some hon. Members:** Explain.

**Mr. Nesbitt:** Mr. Speaker, this bill is designed to put a few teeth in the law in respect of those who mistreat animals, both domestic animals and others, and provide a minimum penalty for those so convicted and also an order against those who have been convicted once prohibiting them from keeping animals or birds of any kind in their possession for a period of two years.

I hope perhaps this and other, similar bills will be referred to the standing committee on justice and legal affairs.

Motion agreed to and bill read the first time.

### QUESTIONS

(Questions answered orally are indicated by an asterisk.)

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### MANPOWER TRAINING INSTITUTIONS

#### Question No. 193—**Mr. Harding:**

1. How many new training institutions, which can be utilized by "Canada Manpower" for its training programs, will be completed in Canada, by provinces, by (a) December 31, 1968, (b) December 31, 1969?

2. Does the federal government share in the cost of this new construction and, if so, on what basis?

**Hon. Allan J. MacEachen (Minister of Manpower and Immigration):** 1. Number of training institutions to be completed by the end of:

	Dec. 1968	Dec. 1969
Newfoundland	0	0
P.E.I.	0	0
Nova Scotia	1	3
New Brunswick	0	1
Quebec	2	Could not be established
Ontario	6	5
Manitoba	0	15
Saskatchewan	0	1
Alberta	0	3
British Columbia	0	0
Yukon Territory	0	0
North West Territories	0	1

2. Under the Adult Occupational Training Act the federal government continues reimbursing the provinces for approved expenditures incurred in providing vocational training facilities, up to a maximum of \$800 per person in the 15-19 year age-group in the province (Census 1961). Federal share is 75% of approved expenditures up to \$480 per capita, and 50% for the remaining \$320 per capita.

### CANADA MANPOWER TRAINING CAPACITY

#### Question No. 198—**Mr. Harding:**

1. What was the total training capacity available to "Canada Manpower" by province, for 1967 and 1968?

2. How much of this total training capacity was utilized by "Canada Manpower" in 1967 and 1968?

**Hon. Allan J. MacEachen (Minister of Manpower and Immigration):** 1. In general, the total training capacity available to the occupational training for adults program is sufficient to accommodate clients of Canada manpower centres referred to the program. This is especially true for courses such as language training and educational up-grading